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BOOKLET DESCRIBES NEVADA CONSERVATION AREA

A unique conservation center in western Nevada is described in a new booklet titled Stillwater Wildlife Management Area published today by the Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior.

In 1948 the Fish and Wildlife Service, along with the Nevada Fish and Game Commission and the Truckee-Carson Irrigation District, undertook the restoration of the once-famous Stillwater marshes. The unusual project represents a pooling of wildlife, recreational, and ranching interests and reports on the first five-year period show good progress. Initial efforts to restore water areas where ducks, geese, coot, and other water birds hold forth have resulted in successes described in the booklet. Feeding and nesting areas are being developed and these, too, are brought into focus in the publication.

The booklet is Number Nine in the Fish and Wildlife Service's "Conservation in Action" series. It contains nine pages of text by LeRoy W. Giles, David B. Marshall, and Will Barker of the Service and is illustrated with pen and ink drawings by Bob Hines, also of the Fish and Wildlife Service.

Copies of the booklet may be purchased from the Superintendent of Documents, United States Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D. C. The price is 15¢ per copy.

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